

NOTICE OF INTENT
Student Financial Assistance Commission
Office of Student Financial Assistance
Scholarship/Grant Programs
(LAC 28:IV.1205)

The Louisiana Student Financial Assistance Commission (LASFAC) announces its intention to amend its Scholarship/Grant rules (LSA-R.S. 17:3021-3025, LSA-R.S. 3041.10-3041.15, LSA-R.S. 17:3042.1, LSA-R.S. 17:3048.1, LSA-R.S. 17:3048.5 and LSA-R.S. 17:3048.6).

This rulemaking amends the eligibility requirements for GO Grant recipients who are age 25 or older to delete the requirement that a student who is 25 years old or older must have a break in enrollment of at least two semesters to be eligible to receive a GO Grant.

The proposed rule has no known impact on family formation, stability, or autonomy, as described in LSA-R.S. 49:972. The proposed rule will have no adverse impact on small businesses as described in LSA-R.S. 49:965.2 *et seq.* (SG12138NI)

Title 28

EDUCATION

**Part IV. Student Financial
Assistance—Higher Education
Scholarship and Grant Programs
Chapter 12. Louisiana GO Grant**

Interested persons may submit written comments on the proposed changes (SG12138NI) until 4:30 p.m., May 10, 2012, to Melanie Amrhein, Executive Director, Office of Student Financial Assistance, P.O. Box 91202, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-9202.

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§1205. Application and Initial Eligibility

A – B.3. ...

4.a. be a first time freshman who entered college during the 2007-2008 academic year or later; or

b. have entered college as a first time freshman during the 2007-2008 academic year or later and have become eligible for a federal Pell Grant or a financial need grant after the freshman year; or

c. be age 25 or older, ~~and have entered college as a first time freshman before the 2007-2008 academic year and have had a break in enrollment of at least two consecutive semesters, not including a summer semester or term, immediately preceding the period of enrollment for which the student is being considered for receipt of a grant under this Chapter.~~

C. ...

AUTHORITY NOTE: Promulgated in accordance with R.S. 17:3021-3023 and R.S. 17:3046 *et seq.*

HISTORICAL NOTE: Promulgated by the Student Financial Assistance Commission, Office of Student Financial Assistance, LR 33:2616 (December 2007), amended LR 34:238 (February 2008), LR 35:2349 (November 2009), LR 36:2853 (December 2010), LR 37:1389 (May 2011).